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Canadian Cruiser Curlew Makes
Seizure of American Craft
in N. B. Waters.

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Heavy Fines are Im-
posed.

The Most Important Episode
of the Kind for
Years.

Eastport, Me., Nov. 28.—Ten American fishing craft, including eight sailing vessels and two steamboats, have been seized by the Canadian fisheries protective cruiser Curlew and fined for illegal fishing in the Canadian waters off a tributary of Passamaquoddy bay, near St. George, N. B. The fishing craft were seized near St. George last night.

Three specific charges were preferred: That they had fished on Sunday; that they had illegally caught fish found in their possession, and that they had fished illegally in Canadian waters.

In addition to this all seines and fish were confiscated.

It is understood that the fines will be paid and that the entire matter will be disposed of without involving any international questions.

The aggregate value of the craft is about \$20,000. The seizure is the most extensive that has been made by a Canadian cruiser in many years.

Washington, Nov. 28.—The American state department officials do not expect any issues between the governments of Canada and the United States over the seizure of American fishing vessels by the former, as told in the Eastport despatch.

In the present instance the question of extra territoriality appears not to have been raised, and the vessels were not confiscated, which has happened in the case of seizures heretofore made, either of these features usually being sufficient to make the settlement of the controversy a matter of diplomatic negotiations.

Buffalo, N. Y., Nov. 28.—Hon. R. Prefontaine, Canadian minister of marine and fisheries, arrived in the harbor late tonight on board the Canadian cruiser "Vedette," the minister is on a trip of inspection on the great lakes.

Minister Prefontaine was handed a batch of official despatches when he was landed at the front of Main street. Among them were telegrams relating to the seizure of American fishing craft near St. George, N. B. In reply to questions regarding the incident, Minister Prefontaine said: "There was no particular significance in the seizure of American fishing boats in Passamaquoddy bay. If our American cousins break Canada's laws they must expect to receive the same punishment that would be meted out to Canadian law-breakers. The incident may be regarded as closed. There is no feature of it to call for international exchanges."

The Canadian minister, who is accompanied by several officials from Ottawa, will visit Cleveland, Detroit and Canadian ports on Lake Erie.

SIGHTED RUSSIAN SQUADRON.

Cherbourg, Nov. 28.—The North German Lloyd steamer Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse which arrived here today, reports that she sighted the second division of the Russian second Pacific squadron at 9 a. m., twenty miles south-east of Start Point, bound west.

DEMONSTRATIVE STUDENTS.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 28.—This afternoon three hundred students started from the university for the Kazan cathedral to make a demonstration. A great crowd followed them along the Nevsky prospect, but when they reached the Kazan bridge they were dispersed by the police without difficulty.

RUSSIAN BARBARITIES ON POLISH LEVIES

Woman Killed and Others are
Knouted by Soldiers of
the Czar.

New York, Nov. 28.—Infuriated by the unwillingness of the Polish troops to leave their wives and children, the Russian authorities at Kutno, a town on the Polish frontier, have, according to a Berlin despatch to the Times, treated the people in a manner almost incredibly cruel. It is known that one woman has been killed and others injured. Fifty persons have been thrown into jail. Some prisoners were tortured to unconsciousness. Details of the barbarities are lacking, but it seems the Cossacks tore the reservists from the arms of their women and children and then knouted the women who followed their husbands into the streets. In cases where reservists could not be found, their wives were dragged by their hair into the streets and beaten. The chief official of the district and a colonel of a regiment are said to have looked on while it was being done. A girl who assisted in the distribution of Socialist tracts was treated in an atrocious manner.

NO MORE PIG TAILS.

Mukden, Nov. 28.—The viceroy of the Chinese province of Honan is the first to carry out the instructions of the Dowager Empress of China in clothing his soldiers in European dress and cutting off their queues.

Saint Alice Natural Mineral Water

Mr. Reynolds declared today that he did not know whose name was signed to the alleged note for \$500,000 payable to Mrs. Chadwick; that he was not holding any such note among the securities in his possession belonging to Mrs. Chadwick, and that he did not even know of any such note being in existence. He said he did not believe there was such a note, and said there were diamonds and other jewels among the securities he holds for Mrs. Chadwick.

CAPITAL INCREASED.

Albany, N. Y., Nov. 28.—A certificate of an increase of the capital stock from \$1,000,000 to \$10,000,000 was filed with the secretary of state today by the Niagara Lockport & Ontario Power Company, of Lockport, N. Y. Half the stock is in common and half preferred.

REFORMS IN RUSSIA.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 28.—The announcement was made today that the zone in which the Jews can buy real estate will be extended. Eighty political exiles at Archangel have been brought back by Interior Minister Mirsky. About 850 still remain there.

THE DALAI LLAMA.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 28.—A telegram from Troitzkossy, Asiatic Turkey, reports the arrival of the Dalai Llama at Urga, Mongolia, November 27th, where he was welcomed by a big gathering of Mongolian priests and inhabitants. The Dalai Llama has taken up his residence in the Buddhist monastery of Chandam.

ORDER RESTORED.

Extremists Defeated After Long Time in Rome's Affairs.

Rome, Nov. 28.—The control of the municipality of Milan has been in the hands of the extremists for four years and disorders caused by the recent elections led to a united effort on the part of the conservative elements to rescue the city from extremist control. The returns from yesterday's municipal elections show that the conservatives have a majority of 4,000, thus terminating the rule of the disorderly element. The revolutionists polled 700 votes.

Scope Of North Sea Inquiry

English Translation of the Docu-
ment Giving Duties of the
Commission.

London Press Dissatisfied Be-
cause Guilty Ones Will Not
Be Punished.

London, Nov. 28.—The foreign office has issued the following English translation of the declaration signed at St. Petersburg by Sir Charles Hardinge, the British ambassador, and Count Lambsdorff, the Russian foreign minister:

"His Britannic Majesty's government and the Imperial Russian government having agreed to enter into an international commission of inquiry assembled conformably to article 14 of the Hague convention on July 29, 1899, for the pacific settlement of international disputes, the task of elucidating by means of an impartial and conscientious investigation, the questions of fact connected with the incident which occurred during the night of October 21-22, 1904, in the North sea (on which occasion the firing of guns on the Russian fleet caused the loss of a boat, as well as damages to other boats of that fleet, and injuries to the crews of some of those boats), the undersigned, being duly authorized thereto, have agreed upon the following provisions:

"Article 1.—The international commission of inquiry shall be composed of five members (commissioners), of whom

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PHYSICIAN'S WIFE SUED FOR \$5,000,000

Sensation Caused In New York
by Action Against Mrs.
Chadwick.

New York, Nov. 28.—A sensation has been caused here by the bringing of suits by Herbert D. Newton, of Brookline, Ohio, for \$190,800 for money loaned. Mrs. Chadwick is the wife of a Cleveland physician. In addition to Mr. Newton's suit, several banks have taken legal action to recover various amounts, which brings the total sum to \$5,000,000 in bonds and securities held in trust by Ira Reynolds, secretary and treasurer of the Wade Park Banking Company, of Cleveland. Mrs. Chadwick said that she had a note for \$500,000 which she could negotiate at any time for the purpose of paying Newton. He loaned her \$190,800.

Oberlin, O., Nov. 28.—The Citizens' National Bank of this place was closed this morning. The action was taken as a result of a meeting of the board of directors held yesterday. A notice posted on the bank door today stated that the bank was in charge of a national investigation. An official statement issued by the bank in September last showed the capital stock to be \$600,000; surplus, \$230,000; deposits, \$475,000; loans and discounts, \$216,000; and real estate, \$133,000; due from banks, \$126,000; cash on hand, \$21,000. C. G. Beckwith is president of the institution. The bank was founded in 1858. It is generally understood that the bank carried over \$1,000,000 in securities, of which Mrs. Chadwick, of Cleveland, to a large amount.

Cleveland, O., Nov. 28.—Herbert D. Newton, of Brookline, Mass., who recently sued Mrs. Cassie Chadwick for over \$190,000, which he loaned her on notes, filed a motion in the Common Pleas court today asking for the appointment of a receiver of the alleged securities belonging to Mrs. Chadwick, said to be in the custody of Ira Reynolds at the Wade Park Bank.

The court issued subpoenas for both Mrs. Chadwick and Ira Reynolds, secretary and treasurer of the Wade Park Banking Company. Reynolds is wanted to bring into court a full list of all securities she may have and also any securities themselves that may be in her possession, if the same are not in her possession, certified copies of them being the securities alleged to have been shown Newton.

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Dominion News Notes

Regardless of What Befell Lot's
Wife That Politician Turns
Back.

Judicial Investigation of Affairs
of Montreal Police Will
Take Place.

Premier Haultain Is Interviewed
on Political Affairs of
Territories.

Belleville, Nov. 28.—Byron O. Lett, who is mixed up in the West Hastings bogus ballot box case, today wired Magistrate Flint from Syracuse, N. Y., that he will come back and suffer sooner than see three honest men who went his bond suffer. The message has caused great excitement.

MONTREAL POLICE ENQUIRY.

Montreal, Nov. 28.—Chief Justice Sir Melbourne Tait this morning announced that the city's request for a judicial investigation into the affairs of the Montreal police force had been granted. Judge Taschereau is appointed to conduct the investigation, which will open on Monday next. The investigation will cover charges of malfeasance against police officers, maladministration of police affairs and the general conduct of the police force in its relation to public affairs.

MUST PAY COSTS.

Montreal, Nov. 28.—J. P. Cook has been condemned to pay all the costs in the famous Cook-Blackley case, which was withdrawn last week.

ELECTED BY ACCLAMATION.

Perce, Que., Nov. 28.—Nomination for Gaspe for the House of Commons took place today. Dr. L. J. Lemieux, a brother of the solicitor-general, was elected by acclamation.

THRASHING ACCIDENT.

Stratford, Nov. 28.—John Conway, 22 years old, caught his arm in a thrashing machine on the farm of Stewart Campbell. The arm was left bare to the bone and his scalp injured. He died of his injuries.

JOHN BERTRAM DEAD.

John Bertram, president of the Bertram Engine Works and a member of the transportation committee appointed some time ago by the Dominion Government, died this morning after an illness of six months from a malignant disease. He leaves three sons and two daughters.

WINNEPEG WIRINGS.

Winipeg, Nov. 28.—Premier Haultain who is in the city on the way to Regina from a trip south, said in an interview: "I have heard some talk about the politics in the territories being run on party lines, but so far nothing definite has been arranged in this regard and I do not expect that anything will be determined until just prior to the next territorial election. So far as autonomy for the territories is concerned we have been informed that it will be decided during the next term of the federal parliament, so you see it would make no difference if the territorial politics were run on party lines so far as autonomy goes, and even if they were and the Liberals were returned it would make no difference."

PARIS DIVORCE CASE.

Paris, Nov. 28.—The third tribunal of Seine today heard the pleading of the Rejane-Porel divorce case. The hearing was not published and the court's decision went over for a week.

SENSATIONAL SCENE IN 'FRISCO COURT

Australian Preacher Shoots at
Judge During Trial of a
Case.

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 28.—Rev. J. Selby, of Australia, during the hearing in a damage suit, shot at Circuit Court Judge Hebbert, while the latter was on the bench today. The shot came within an inch of the judge's head and lodged in the back of his chair. Selby was at once removed to the city prison and charged with an attempt to commit murder.

Selby recently was sued for divorce. He denied his own defense, but was unsuccessful, a decree against him being granted.

Judge Hebbert, who issued the decree, was trying a case today, when Selby arose from a seat in the court room and fired a shot at the judge. The shot came within an inch of the judge's head and lodged in the back of his chair. Selby was at once removed to the city prison and charged with an attempt to commit murder.

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CATTLE RAISERS NOW ORGANIZE

Get Together so as to Be Able
to Fight the Great Beef
Trust.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Kamloops, B. C., Nov. 28.—Forty interior cattle raisers today organized the British Columbia Live Stock Association, having for its object the protection of the interests of the live stock industry. The following officers were elected: President, Hewitt Bostock; vice president, J. P. Shaw; treasurer, D. O'Hara. It is said that the organization is a direct outcome of the discrimination and arbitrary prices fixed by P. Burns & Co. the beef trust, in dealing with the small raiser, who must sell at the trust's figures or not at all.

BRITISH MINISTERS.

London, Nov. 28.—King Edward has approved the following appointments: General Lovell, British minister at Santiago, Chile, to be minister at Tangier; Arthur Raikes, secretary of the British embassy at Washington, to be minister at Santiago.

FREE OF FEVER.

Havana, Nov. 28.—The government has been informed that the reports of the existence of yellow fever in Cuba originated with the United States marine hospital inspector at Cienfuegos, himself a Cuban. It is considered especially trying that a Mexican port from which yellow fever has frequently spread should take precautions against Cuba, when the island is absolutely free from yellow fever.

FOUND MONEY.

Large Sum Stolen From California Bank Discovered in Cow Shed.

Auburn, Cal., Nov. 28.—The money, amounting to \$6,000, of which the Placer County Bank was robbed last May, has been found in a cowshed on the Weber place. The money was buried in an old five-pound lard can. Adolph Weber, who is under arrest on the charge of murdering his parents, brother, and sister, has been formally charged with having also held up the bank.

A Salmon Trust Is Now Proposed

Pian to Secure Control of En-
tire Output of the Pacific
Coast.

Canneries at Anacortes Were
all Leased Packing
Operations.

Portland, Ore., Nov. 28.—It is believed that another combination to secure control of the salmon output of the Pacific coast is being formed. It is said that a representative of John Cudahy, the packer, has secured the properties of the North American Fisheries Company. These men are said to have been bidders at the sale of the Pacific American Fisheries at Bellingham, Wash., November 10, but were outbid by W. E. Peter, representing T. M. McGowan, president of the defunct Pacific Packing and Navigation Company.

The sale of the Pacific Packing and Navigation Company will occur December 10, and it is said that Cudahy money will prove a factor in the sale. Should he be successful in securing the property, according to an arrangement which is said to exist, the successful bidders at the Pacific American Fisheries' sale will assign their interest to Cudahy's representative, thus giving him control of the largest fishing concern on the Pacific coast.

SINGULAR ACCIDENT PORTSMOUTH HARBOR

Naval Launches are Strangely
Blown up While Dragging
for Mines.

Portsmouth, England, Nov. 28.—A singular accident resulted in the death of two men and injuries to a number of others occurred in Portsmouth harbor. Two launches, belonging to the British torpedo schoolship Vernon, were engaged in an instructional course of sweeping the harbor for mines, when suddenly an explosion occurred on board one of the launches, which immediately sank.

Those who were on board of her were thrown into the icy water and were rescued with difficulty.

Two are missing and several men were seriously hurt by flying debris.

The second launch was so seriously damaged that it sank later.

WANT TO GO BACK.

Chicago, Nov. 28.—The employees of the Hammond branch of the National Packing Company, who have been on strike for their old places today, week, applied for their old places today.

THREE RUSSIANS SIGHTED.

Frangle Point, Nov. 28.—Three vessels, each with three funnels, and presumably Russian first-class auxiliary steamers or third-class cruisers, passed westward today.

RISEING POSTPONED.

London, Nov. 28.—A letter from Boris Sarafoff, the Macedonian leader, to a friend in London, says it is the intention of the revolutionary committee to defer the next general rising to the spring of 1906, after the expiration of the Austro-Russian reform. Sarafoff adds that the reforms are utter failure and the condition of the peasants is worse than before the late revolution. Their homes have not been rebuilt and the people are on the verge of starvation, and some of them are freezing to death. The insurgents under Domier Curcuf, are maintaining the revolutionary organization with 70 bands of 10 to 50 men each, and are collecting funds in Macedonia for the next rising. Sarafoff is in Bulgaria for the same purpose.

ASK UNCLE SAM'S AID.

Washington, Nov. 28.—Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador, and Sir Mortimer Durand, the British ambassador, called separately at the state department today to present, on behalf of their respective governments, an invitation for the United States to appoint a "high-ranking naval officer" as a member of the court of enquiry which will investigate the facts in the Dogger Bank incident.

It is understood that the term "officer of high rank" used in the agreement between Russia and Great Britain means any officer having flag rank. Under this interpretation it would be possible for the President to appoint a naval admiral. It can be authoritatively announced that the appointment of Admiral Dewey will be heartily welcomed in either Russia or Great Britain, especially in the latter country. The fact that Rear Admiral Dewey is soon to go to London on account of his wife's ill-health, has led to the belief in naval circles that he might be selected for this mission. The President, however, will make the appointment, and as far as can be learned, he has not intimated his attitude in the matter.

Kuropatkin's Automobiles

Russian Commander Scorches
Between Posts In Fast
Machine.

Twenty are Held In Reserve to
Carry Ammunition In
Emergencies.

Frenchman Estimates the Czar's
Army at Three Hundred
Thousand.

Chefoo, Nov. 28.—General Kuropatkin is the possessor of a new twenty-horsepower automobile with which he is able to rush at high speed from one part to another of the five twenty-five miles long according to Kuropatkin, who reached here today from Mukden.

M. Ravoit spent three weeks with Kuropatkin, who wished to secure twenty automobiles especially constructed to carry ammunition speedily in emergency cases. He will only use them in winter, when the Manchurian roads are in excellent condition.

The Chinese now regard Kuropatkin and his machine with superstitious awe, believing the latter to be an atrociously powerful spirit of the foreign devil. M. Ravoit says: "The two armies lie facing each other, each having fortified lines. The soldiers of both armies live mostly in caves, behind their trenches, which, when covered with snow, have the appearance of a great host of polar bears waiting to spring at each other. The caves are warm, even without fire. The Russian troops are in the best of spirits and have unlimited confidence in their leaders. They expect Kuropatkin to attack during the winter. The Russian forces number 300,000 men. The cavalrymen from the Don district are superior to their comrades. The former are intelligent, brave and active, and have the powerful horses."

"There are only a few hundred wounded at Mukden and 30,000 wounded at Harbin. I came out on the railway, which seemed to be doing tremendous work smoothly. There are houses all along the railway, and the Russian army is almost untouched, as up to the present the army has subsisted chiefly on the country."

The belief is general at Mukden that Port Arthur will hold out until relieved, no matter how long the much-expected Russian second Pacific squadron may take in reaching the Far East.

General Kuropatkin is not talkative. His only reference to the war was "The war is progressing as I wish."

"He still lives in his railroad car, and the light in his office is burning night and day. It is commonly stated that the general never sleeps. His officers are not surprised at being called to conference at any hour of the night. The general's only relaxation is at dinner time, when the officers, who are his guests number scores. Wine is plentiful. Steamed chicken, mineral water. Every Russian officer seems to have an unlimited supply of money, the government being lavish in expenditure. It is my opinion that Kuropatkin will never retreat from Mukden unless defeated decisively, and I think the next battle will be a Russian victory."

MITCHELL'S PROSPECTS.

Hazleton, Pa., Nov. 28.—President Mitchell, Vice President William Lewis and Secretary W. B. Wilson of the United Mine Workers will be re-elected without opposition at the next national convention at Indianapolis January 18th. The voting blanks for the various locals received here today show that they are the only persons nominated for their respective positions. The nominations have closed and the men will ballot for national officers between now and January 1st, when all returns must be in.

REPORTED LOSS OF FIVE MILLIONS

Embezzlement From the Roths-
child's Said to Have Taken
Place Last July.

New York, Nov. 28.—Lord Rothschild, when questioned by a representative of the Associated Press today regarding the alleged embezzlement of \$5,000,000 by Moses Blumenthal, said to have been head of the bullion department of the London house of Rothschild, was incensed at what he termed "such gross exaggeration," but otherwise declined to discuss the matter.

The defalcation occurred in July, not a few weeks ago, as cabled, and it was stated at the time that the shortage was in the neighborhood of \$150,000. The whole matter was discovered.

PROMINENT MAN DEAD.

Philadelphia, Pa., Nov. 28.—James H. Stevenson, head of the firm of J. H. Stevenson, Inc., and Co., wholesale dealers in oil, died on the street today of heart disease. He was 65 years old.

PERUVIAN MINISTER HOME.

Kingston, Jamaica, Nov. 28.—Pedro Portillo, formerly Peruvian minister of marine, arrived last evening on the steamer Barbarian from Liverpool. He recently superintended the building of a gunboat in the United States for Peru, which vessel is now being used on the Amazon river. Colonel Portillo is returning to Callao. The new Peruvian warship will follow him to Callao later on.

AN INTERPELLATION.

Berlin, Nov. 28.—The Radical people's party introduced an interpellation to the Prussian diet today regarding the so-called anarchist trial at Koelnberg, asking whether the Russian consul-general's statements concerning the contents of the documents seized caused the proceedings to be instituted; whether it was known to the government that the translations were furnished to the Prussian authorities by the Russian authorities, and if the Russian law code failed to include the essential paragraphs of the documents.

The interpellation further asked whether the government intends to inaugurate reforms respecting the expulsion and extradition of foreigners, and also whether it intends to make a revision of the Prusso-Russian agreement of January 1, 1885.

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1 Bot. Port Wine20
1 Bot. Sherry or 1 lb. Valencia Almonds50
1 Bot. Cooking Brandy50
1 lb. Peel or 1 Pkt. Malta Vita or 1 of Force or Grape Nuts.	1.09
6 lbs. Currants or 5 Pkts. Blue Ribbon Raisins15
1 tin Cinnamon or Ginger or Pastry Spice50
1 lb. Sugar (To be used for 114 lbs. Sugar)10

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UNION

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Ogdensburg, N. Y., Nov. 28.—Rear Admiral F. M. Smyth, United States navy, special representative of the United States government to investigate passenger steamboats; J. R. Moulthier, inspector of hulls, and I. M. Ohestrin, inspector of boilers on the St. Lawrence river and harbor, arrived here this morning. They will remain here for several days. As a result of their work Capt. Jas. Burns, commanding the night ferry steamer Onting between Ogdensburg and Prescott, Ontario, was suspected of having been negligent in an obscure place below the deck on his

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The Hutchison Company, Ltd., Victoria, B.C.

November 29th, 1904.

Where To Dump City's Rubbish

Chief Subject of Discussion at
Last Night's Meeting of
City Council.

Objection Taken to Proposed
Site Near Clover Point—Other
Business.

The recommendation of the select committee that the beach just north of the Clover Point rifle range be made a dumping place whereon old boxes and other rubbish may be thrown and burned, came up before the city council last night in the shape of a paragraph in the report of the streets, bridges and sewers committee, and was discussed at some length. Finally this clause was struck out and then the requisite number of signatures were obtained to the report, and the proposal, like the report of the select committee is for the present veiled from the public gaze. In other words the report is still before the streets, bridges and sewers committee, to be discussed behind closed doors, and, judging from the tone of last night's debate, never likely to see the light of day.

Mayor Barnard presided the aldermen present were Messrs. Grahame, Vincent, Kinsman, Goodacre, Stewart, Beckwith, Fell, Oddy and Elford.

Messrs. Crease & Crease, solicitors for Mrs. Jessie Cameron, wrote again that their client would apply to the Supreme court to have the Birdcage Walk Extension and Assessment By-law quashed on a number of grounds. The grounds mentioned in this communication are practically identical with those contained in the communication of last week, and set out, in extenso, in the Colonist of the 22nd inst. The letter was referred to the city solicitor.

Messrs. Higgins & Elliott for J. B. McGregor, alleged that an old dumping building adjoining a new one on Langley street and used as a kitchen be condemned. Referred to the building inspector and the sanitary officer.

James A. Douglas protested against the proposal to establish a dumping place north of the rifle range, on the ground that it would affect detrimentally his property in the vicinity. Laid on the table.

W. A. Jameson asked for aid to the Victoria Poultry and Pet Stock Association. Referred to the finance committee.

Dr. Thomas McGuigan wrote enclosing a new form of death certificate. Referred to the health officer and city solicitor.

The report of the finance committee recommending the payment of accounts amounting to \$8,157.94 was adopted.

The mayor pointed out that the streets, bridges and sewers committee's report was not properly before the council as the committee only five aldermen were affiliated thereto. Ald. Stewart said that the difficulty had arisen owing to the objection of some of the aldermen to the clause recommending a new dumping ground at Clover Point. On this point Mr. Douglas, who on the subject was taken from the table and considered.

Ald. Fell was strongly opposed to the site suggested. He considered it would spoil the only seaside drive near the city; would create a smell and injure property in the vicinity.

Ald. Vincent did not think that anyone would be injured by the dumping of rubbish there. The rubbish would not lie there indefinitely, but would be burnt.

Ald. Vincent—There are no houses near that place and the smoke will blow away. We have to have a dumping place somewhere.

Beckwith did not think Ald. Fell's objection was very serious. Very few people were to be seen on that beach. Some place had to be utilized for this purpose, and the site suggested by the special committee was the most suitable available. There were no houses at all close to the beach and it did not appear that there would be any offence to anyone created by the proposed dumping ground.

Finally, the clause in the report of the streets, bridges and sewers committee's report was struck out, and the clerk was instructed to reply to Mr. Douglas that the matter would be considered later by that committee.

Tenders for the printing of the voters' list were then opened and the contract awarded to the lowest tenderer, C. E. Bandfield, who quoted \$2.50 per printed page.

Tenders for police clothing were referred to the chief of police, the purchasing agent and the finance committee.

The report of the cemetery committee was adopted. The report was as follows:

broke street, between Store and Government streets, in good condition, and that the B. C. E. & I. Co. be asked to remove any obstructions on that street for which it is responsible; (2) that the petition of Rev. D. MacRae et al. for severing their property on Frederick street be granted and their offer therein accepted; (3) that a pipe drain be laid to carry off surface water from the corner of Blanchard and View streets, and also from the corner of Quadra and Fort streets; (4) that sidewalks be laid on Alfred street, north side, from Fernwood road eastward for 150 feet, and on Dallas avenue, northward.

C. W. Westwood wrote drawing the attention of the council to the fact that Mr. T. J. Redding, grocer, Victoria West, had absorbed for his personal use the east end of Bella street, depriving owners of lots fronting thereon of proper means of ingress and egress. Referred to city solicitor for report and action, if report is favorable to that course.

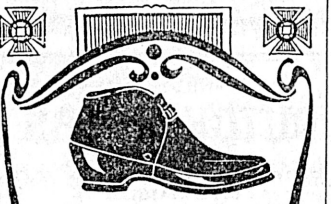
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A FAMOUS CRICKETER.

The sudden death of J. T. Brown, the famous Yorkshire batsman, on Saturday came as a shock to the sporting world. The deceased was a very steady batsman, brilliant field, and above the average as a bowler. As a matter of fact, his first engagement with a Scottish club was as a trundler. Brown, who perhaps he best known as the joint holder with J. T. Brown, of the record for the first wicket. This is 554, against Derbyshire in 1898.



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Nootka Indians Prevent Arrest of Tribesmen for Desertion.

The steamer Queen City, which arrived from the West Coast yesterday afternoon, brought news of a riot at Nootka. At the instance of some sealers, the provincial police officer at Clayoquot arrested the chief of the Nootkas, a nephew of the chief of the Nootkas, of the same name, and Nootka Harry, two Indians who were charged with being deserters. The Indians had signed on sealing schooners last spring for the entire season, but had refused to make the cruise to the Behring Sea when the schooners on which they had shipped were ready to sail. On the last trip of the Queen City the captain of one of the schooners from which desertions had taken place, went to Nootka, accompanied by Provincial Constable McDougall, of Clayoquot.

On landing from the boat of the Queen City on the beach at Nootka, the constable at once went to the Indian village and told Maquinna and Harry that he wanted them to accompany him to the skookum house. But they objected. Then there were things doing, it was this way.

When the constable tried to make the arrest, the tribe assembled and objected. The spokesman asked the officer if he knew the rank of the man he wanted to arrest. The officer replied that he thought so. Then the tribe thought it necessary to make a showing.

Many years ago Sir James Douglas gave one of the forebears of the present chief of the Nootkas a uniform with three rows of brass buttons. This uniform is considered a "delate hyas kloskika" by the Swishashes, and is treasured out. Maquinna, the deserter, was encased in the uniform and he seemed very proud. The constable, however, said the "uniform didn't cut any ice with him" and stepped forward to arrest Maquinna. Then there was an uproar. There was much "wa-wa."

Finally the constable got hold of his prisoners in the general store of Stockham & Dawley, which is near the village. The Indians crowded about and pressed the officer into the corner of the store, where they pined him and allowed the prisoners to escape. The officer then grasped the Indian foremost in the interference and rioting and tried to put the handcuffs on that man. Other Swishashes jumped in and the constable took the handcuffs from the officer. He drew his revolver and the Indians took that away. They also took away his baton. Then they made tracks.

On Saturday night, shortly prior to the sailing of the Queen City on her down trip, the handcuffs, revolver and baton were returned. The prisoners are still at large though. The officer returned to Clayoquot and the sealers came back to Victoria.

It is anticipated that further efforts will be made to make the Indians guilty of deserting from the sealing vessels pay the penalty of their offences. From passengers who arrived on the Queen City it was learned that much hunting was going on.

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The Victoria Sealing Company's schooner Oscar and Hattie has had hard luck in trying to get out of Kyoquot bay, where she has been stormbound for some time. She tried to make sail for Victoria a few days ago, but was compelled by the strong sou-easter then blowing to put back to her anchorage. The schooner is leaking somewhat badly, and it was the intention to repair her at Kyoquot. She has about 200 skus as the result of her cruise.

NORTH SEA COMMISSION.
Date of Meeting has Not Yet Been Fixed.

London, Nov. 28.—No date has been fixed for the meeting of the North sea commission, but preliminary arrangements are being made. The British and Russian ambassadors visited Foreign Minister Goluchowski at Vienna yesterday to discuss the choice of an admiral should it be found necessary.

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"The senior association now, it is said, refuses to live up to the document, they not having confidence in themselves to elect four—they all want a finger in the pie."

"The result is that, after a hot old time at Pioneer hall the other night, the question of the appointments was decided to be left in the hands of both executives."

"The Young Liberals had to give way, but they have got it in for the old association, swearing that no nominee of the senior club will ever get a job."

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MR. PUTTEE TO MR. SMITH.

Mr. Ralph Smith, in addressing his supporters in Nanaimo on the night of his election, paid his respects to Mr. Puttee, the Labor candidate in Winnipeg. He said he had told Mr. Puttee many times he was mistaken in his opposition to the Government, which, in his opinion, was a good government and worthy of support. Mr. Smith paid a high compliment to Mr. Puttee as a conscientious man in the House of Commons, but he had failed (which, of course, was not unnatural in a conscientious man in politics), because he was surrounded by a gang of extreme Socialists and he permitted himself to be led by these men. The people of Winnipeg, he said, had turned him down for that reason—he had turned him down for a man (a straight Liberal), who would be prepared to direct his course in the interests of the whole people. Mr. Puttee, in a long letter in "Voice," a labor paper in Winnipeg, denies emphatically that he was led, or dictated to, by the Socialists. He points out that when Mr. Smith was elected to the House of Commons he was elected as a nominee of the Dominion Trades and Labor Congress, at whose request he stood as a candidate. Mr. Smith consented provided he could get the support of the miners at Nanaimo, and telegraphed subsequently that he would go into the contest as a Labor candidate, and, if elected, would be a Labor member, notwithstanding that he had hitherto been affiliated with the Liberals. Both Puttee and Smith were elected on the same ticket.

Mr. Puttee proceeds to say that things went on in Parliament, none too satisfactorily, until the Grand Trunk Pacific contract came up. Mr. Smith had gone home on account of sickness. Mr. Puttee moved a government amendment to the Government's railway proposition. In the session of 1904 the matter again came up, when Mr. Smith made public his choice in the matter and spoke in favor of the bill and supported the contract, his position being that he would not be in favor of the Government owning railways until such time as the people had shown their preference for public ownership by municipalizing all the street railways and acquiring the Provincial railways. This, we may say, notwithstanding the fact that the policy of the Labor party was that of government ownership, and that he was elected as its representative, when President of the Dominion Trades and Labor Congress. Mr. Puttee, having reviewed the course in Parliament up to a certain point, says:

"In view of the turmoil of the then approaching election, it was agreed by Mr. Smith and myself that the Labor movement in Canada could not possibly be well served by our publicly aggravating the very serious differences that had developed in our lines of policy, but, of course, that each present his position irrespective of the other. Having definitely taken his place among the victorious Liberals, and the election being over, Mr. Smith is probably justified in taking the very first opportunity of attacking myself, but he must understand that he has no right or warrant to misrepresent me."

In criticizing the statement that he had been led, and dictated to, by a handful of Socialists, Mr. Puttee adds: "My course in the House of Commons was not dictated by a handful of Socialists, nor by a Liberal executive, nor by personal ambitions, nor by the hope of victory nor by the fear of defeat. It was governed by the course foreshadowed by two previous addresses to the electorate and by an avowed statement made on the platform when I came out, and was in consonance with my conception of what should be the policy and course of an Independent Labor party. The record is there. There is not a speech, not a vote, not a hint, not a shirking vote that any political Labor man has to excuse, nor which any Independent, party-free man should wish to erase."

The difference between the course pursued by Mr. Smith and that by Mr. Puttee is quite evident. Both were elected on the Labor platform, and both went to the House of Commons as Labor members. Mr. Smith was more of a Liberal than a Labor man, and stuck by the Government at a critical moment when the principle of government ownership, which, as a Labor representative, he was bound to support. Mr. Puttee was also a Liberal, but he stuck to his principles and voted against the Government. One took the side that was most likely to win, and the other stayed by his colors. Mr. Puttee, by way of emphasizing this difference, concludes:

"The winner in Nanaimo, in the flush of victory, announces that I have failed. It is not so; Ralph Smith failed the workers of Canada, that larger constituency that the two of us were in Parliament to represent. If he can glory in victory, I, at least, am proud of my defeat."

AN ISSUE AND ITS CONSEQUENCES.

Mr. Cowan's speech on "Better Terms" and his description of the expensive, rugged and inaccessible country of the province will keep more settled out of it than fifty years of agent-general Turner's efforts in London will do to bring them in.—The Kasko Kootenian.

The above is quoted as indicating the superficial view some persons take of a question of vital importance to this province. They are afraid that in the discussion of an issue the statement of certain facts will have a prejudicial effect on some industry or some interest. They would rather have the truth eliminated if it has an unpleasant sound on the ear. Mr. Cowan might have stated that the whole country was flat, with just enough undulations to vary the monotony, or just enough mountains to make the province picturesque and a scenic resort. He might have dwelt upon the millions and millions of agricultural land we have ready for the plough—the home of millions yet unborn. It might have had a pleasant sound outside the province among the people who do not know, but in British Columbia, among people who do, he would have established a reputation as one of the most skillful prevaricators of the West. We do not

know that he would have done a particle of good by it. The facts of the mountainous character of the Province, the inaccessible nature of the interior, its vast extent, the geographical isolation of British Columbia and the other physical features dwelt upon are all facts that tremendously affect the cost of administration and the cost of living. They are the real foundation of our case for Better Terms at Ottawa. Upon the basis of our disadvantages, as compared with other provinces, we are entitled to an additional subsidy of three-quarters of a million dollars per annum. To obtain our rights we must not consider what will or not be the effect upon outsiders of the statement of facts. In a lawsuit, the feelings of non-litigants are not considered in the matter of evidence. In the fight for Better Terms our duty is primarily and always to be sure we are right and then go ahead.

THE DOMINION EXHIBITION.

The Kelowna Claiion is strongly advocating the holding of the Dominion Exhibition next year in British Columbia. It gives several reasons for it, but principally because British Columbia in respect to agricultural development is in a formative condition and the holding of the fair would afford a stimulus of great value. We believe, although we are not sure, that the unwritten rule in connection with the holding of the Dominion exhibition is one year East and the next year West. It is a reasonable view of the case. This year it was held in Winnipeg, and next year Halifax wants it. In view, especially of the influence Nova Scotia will now have politically, it is likely that Halifax will get it. What, therefore, we think, would be the wiser course, under the circumstances, would be to endeavor to secure it for British Columbia in 1906. There are three places in this province in one of which it would be held—Victoria, Vancouver or New Westminster. A Dominion exhibition is a responsible undertaking, and a good deal of time would be required ahead to make preparations. We do not think that any one of the three cities in question would care to undertake an exhibition on such a large scale next year. Besides, the Lewis and Clark Exposition at Portland will be held in 1905, and it would necessarily interfere with its success. It would be much better, we think, if we want the Dominion Exhibition at all, is to try now for it in 1904, and having fixed it definitely as to time and place, go ahead and make adequate preparations, which cannot be done in a few months. With our "Solid Seven" Liberals at Ottawa there ought to be no trouble in securing the exhibition, and it would be policy to help Halifax next year and get the support of the Nova Scotia members for the year after.

THE LIBERAL MAJORITIES.

The Quebec Telegraph has been making a calculation of the majorities obtained in the different Provinces. It cannot be accurate, but may be accepted as approximately so. In round numbers the Liberal majorities were 75,000, and the Liberal-Conservative 26,500, or a Liberal majority of votes cast in Canada for the Liberals of 49,500 votes. Probably 50,000 would be nearer. Outside of Quebec, Sir Wilfrid Laurier has 35,000 of a majority, so that he may fairly claim to represent the whole of the people. The total number of votes cast was over 800,000. Ontario, New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island all gave popular majorities to the Conservatives, amounting in the aggregate to about 6,000 votes.

The real man behind the gun in the present war is the man who finds the money for Japan and Russia.

There is said to be a hot time in the election going on in the Yukon.

The Toronto News remarks with some force: "If Mr. Stratton had as good a record as a politician as he has in the administration of his department it would not be necessary for him to resign."

We trust that our correspondents will not attempt a protracted correspondence on the subject of Christian Science. A religious controversy is very apt to develop into a war of words, without profit to either side and with but little edification to readers.

The Quebec elections turned out very much as expected, except that Hon. Mr. Guin, one of the members of the government was defeated, and also a prominent supporter of the Premier, Mr. Rainville, late Speaker of the House. There are a few Conservatives elected, but so few as to form no effective opposition. In the great majority of cases Conservative candidates refrained from offering themselves.

The question of the extension of the boundaries of the Province of Manitoba is being discussed. Sir Wilfrid has promised to give the demand of the Territories for increased autonomy consideration as soon as is practicable. They will, in all probability, be created into one or more provinces, and a suitable time to consider the boundaries of Manitoba will be in conjunction. The Telegram says Manitoba wants nothing at the expense of the Territories, but it is quite possible that some of the people of the latter would prefer going in with the older province. The fewer provinces the better, owing to the excessive cost of administration. It would be an advantage to themselves and for the Dominion generally if the three Maritime provinces were rolled into one.

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FROM THE BRITISH COLONIST 1859.

Tuesday, Nov. 29.

We present to our readers this morning an enlarged edition of the British Colonist. On Saturday will be published the weekly British Colonist, which will contain all the matter of the tri-weekly. Our newspaper and job offices we have made extensive additions, and are now prepared to execute every kind of work in the very best style. Our job office is the best in the country. As hitherto, we will follow a straightforward course, and are devoted to tried and true principles, with no policy but honesty. We have withstood the attempts of governments and cliques to crush us, and every charge against our cause has only been to add to our influence. The British Colonist is emphatically the people's paper, the organ of reform; and we are proud to have our humble efforts have been appreciated and our labor rewarded.

The sheriff left for Saanich district with a posse of twelve marines on Saturday, in order to suppress an Indian difficulty there. The force was commanded by Lieut. Spence. It appears that the Indians have seized a number of cattle on the farm adjoining that of Mr. Coles, and refuse to give them up until they receive some money. It is presumed that the things will be peacefully arranged.

Since the above was in type, the posse has returned. No difficulty was known there. An old squaw or two was seen. All the Indians were at Saynot village, having a blanket election. Instead of Indian prisoners, the detachment brought home some game.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

COST OF PERMANENT SIDEWALKS.

Sir—I should like to call the attention of property owners and also the Property Owners' Protective Association to the exorbitant price charged by the city for permanent sidewalks.

The cost to the city is 27 cents per square foot, or \$2.43 a square yard, of which the property owner pays two-thirds, and the city one-third. The average depth of these sidewalks is from 6 to 8 inches.

Anyone can get this same work done by a contractor for \$1.00 a square yard, and on a large contract like the city's at considerably less cost. It seems to me that the property owners are paying the whole cost of these improvements, or else there is some gross mismanagement.

I append an extract from a paper in the Canadian Engineer, of November, 1904, read before the Institution of Canadian Municipalities by E. O. Graydon, Esq., city engineer of London, Ont.:

"Cement Walks.—The city (London, Ont.) has about 100 miles of these walks already laid. They are constructed with 7 inches of coarse gravel, well rammed, for a foundation; then 5 inches of coarse concrete made 7 to 1 and 12 inch surface 1 1/2 to 1. The cost this year is 9 cents per foot, the aldermen may be interested enough to look into this matter."

CITIZEN.

SUPPORT HOME INDUSTRY.

Sir—With the discharging of the men who have been employed on the city sidewalks and the completion of the sewerage works, the prospects for Victoria are not very bright. The city is now in a state of distress, and the aldermen may be interested enough to look into this matter."

lost to the city, through so many outside men being employed. If Victoria was only true to herself it would be one of the most prosperous communities in our Dominion. There is lack of loyalty—business loyalty—which to a great extent is responsible for the stationary condition of Victoria. Seattle would never dream of buying from Portland or Tacoma, if they could purchase the goods required in Seattle, Vancouverites, by adopting the same line of action as Seattle, are pushing their city along at a great rate. Tourist trade is all right, but it is the manufacturing concern that bring and make business for a city, and Vancouver is wide awake enough to see this, and profits accordingly. Increased manufacturing means additional employment for all. It means permanent and increased population. It means employment for our children, both girls and boys. Manufacturers find the means for a happy and prosperous city, and with a reasonable measure of support accorded to the manufacturers of this city, we should find our city going ahead, instead, as at present, remaining stationary. The writer, in conversing with a store founder that manufactures of this city was astonished to learn of the apathy of the people, retailers and wholesalers, in their attitude towards the absolutely no support given to local manufacturers. I was told that several concerns had actually failed in this city and been removed to the United States in Vancouver, and that through the fair support given had built up good businesses there, and that several of our merchants had failed here and moved their business to do business with them, after they opened in business there.

Some years ago we had a broom factory here. Through lack of support it failed. Afterwards it started in Vancouver, and today, through the support accorded it is prosperous. Victorians invested their capital in a short time ago in a metallic bedstead factory. In spite of the fact that the goods were equal in price and quality, the firm could not get business from the local trade, and they are struggling for its existence. We have a store founder that is making the finest kind of goods of its kind, yet the firm felt it absolutely necessary to open a store and push its own name in the market. The fact that the goods were equal in price and quality, the firm could not get business from the local trade, and they are struggling for its existence. We have a store founder that is making the finest kind of goods of its kind, yet the firm felt it absolutely necessary to open a store and push its own name in the market.

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SPORTING NEWS

GOLF.

United Service Golf Club.
The monthly medal competition of the U. S. C. C. for December will take place on the links at Macaulay Plain on Thursday, December 1. The winner in addition to taking the sweepstakes will receive a small replica of the medal.

BASEBALL.

Tacoma Leads.
The Tacoma Tigers have apparently got a safe lead in the Pacific Coast Baseball League. The standing of the clubs is as follows:

Club	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Tacoma	64	47	.577
Los Angeles	58	45	.563
Oakland	53	50	.514
Seattle	53	54	.495
San Francisco	43	54	.443
Portland	37	72	.339

RUGBY FOOTBALL.

Undaunted by their defeat at the hands of Vancouver last Saturday, the Victoria Rugby players are already making arrangements for their next match, which will be played here on Saturday week against the famous Nanaimo Hornets. The team is a much better struggle against Vancouver than Nanaimo, and if they keep up their training the local players should secure their first league victory on December 10.

How They Stand.

Club	Pld.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Vancouver	2	2	0	.100
Nanaimo	2	1	1	.500
Victoria	2	0	2	.000

Intermediate Match.
Next Saturday, December 3, the Victoria intermediates will try conclusions with the Vancouver intermediates at Brockton Point. As it is important that everyone should be in the pink of condition, all players are particularly requested to turn out every day. The team will be chosen later in the week.

Honors Even.
After a hard struggle at the Caledonia grounds yesterday afternoon, the Collegiate School and the Central club fifteen had to go to bed with a draw, neither side having been able to score. The game was a good one, but the tackling was too deadly for much open play. The Collegiate have a great credit for playing the formidable opponents to a standstill, for the Central club is composed of players from the different city public schools.

N. Gowen acted as referee.
Game Tomorrow.
The Collegiate School will try conclusions with the South Park club at the Caledonia grounds tomorrow afternoon at 3:30.

Important Meeting.
A meeting of delegates from the different schools will be held at the J. B. A. A. club house tomorrow, in order to arrange a schedule for the games to be played for the cup which has been generously given by the club. The teams must consist of bona fide school boys, and it is understood that the following schools will enter: South Park, Collegiate, North Ward, Central, High School.

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL.

Y. M. C. A. Piskin-Chasers.
A football team wearing the Y. M. C. A. colors will be in the field. The following have expressed their intention of playing: Miller, Ritchie, Davidson, Holden, Pavey, Raynolds, Nute, McKinnon, Jones, H. A. Ritchie. A number have entered for the ping pong and shuffleboard tournament.

On the Mainland.
Saturday's results in the Mainland league series were as follows:
At Powell street grounds—Shamrocks, 6; Central Park, 0. Referee, D. Robertson.
At New Westminster—Lovers, 2; Columbian College, 0. Referee, J. W. Wallis.

How They Stand.

Club	Pld.	Won.	Lost.	Drawn.	Pts.
Shamrocks	8	6	1	1	13
Colt's	8	6	1	1	12
Reveries	8	6	2	0	12
Colt's College	9	4	4	1	10
Chilliwack	6	3	3	0	6
Casuals	2	1	1	0	2
Central Park	8	0	8	0	0

Matches for December 3.
Chilliwack vs. Island Casuals, at Eburne. Referee, J. W. Wallis, Vancouver.
Central Park vs. Colts, at Vancouver. Referee, Professor Etherington, of New Westminster.

The league schedule expresses on January 1, judging from the present standing the clubs will also finish in close order, and the race for the pennant is becoming interesting.

THE OAR.

Championship Race Proposed.
W. W. Wilson, stroke of the J. B. A. A. "Big Four," has received a letter from Mr. C. H. Ross, of the Portland oar club, in which he makes an interesting proposition. Mr. Ross has been challenged by Mr. Pope, the San Francisco oarsman, for a race next spring, and he is perfectly willing to accept, but wishes to have D. Des Brisay, the J. B. A. A. crack, included in the contest, which would then be a race for the championship of the Pacific Coast. In order to hold it in neutral waters, Mr. Ross proposes Lake Washington as a suitable course. It

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is to be hoped that the race will be arranged, and that it will be a good one to see. The three men are well matched, and the finish would be very close and exciting.
Dan J. Murphy, who made a national reputation as coach of the Winnipeg crew, has been secured to instruct the Portland rowing men, and the Web-footers should make a good showing at the N. P. A. A. regatta, which will be held next year in Victoria.

HANDBALL.

Smith and Leeming Won.
S. McEl. Smith and J. Leeming are out for the handball doubles championship of the J. B. A. A. and defeating D. Jones and W. Jesse, last year's champions, they have certainly made a good start. The struggle was a hard one, as both teams played for all they were worth. The score was 21-10, 15-21, 21-14. Smith and Leeming owe their victory to their team work, which was very fine.

Game Today.
A very interesting handball match will take place in the J. B. A. A. gymnasium at 5:15 this afternoon. The rival pairs are J. S. Jost and J. Finlaison and S. McEl. Smith and J. Leeming. All handball enthusiasts should attend, for the contest will be well worth witnessing.

BASKETBALL.

League Meeting.
A meeting of the basketball league was held last evening in the Y. M. C. A. building. The following officers were appointed: President, H. W. Norcross; secretary, treasurer, Stanley Porter. After some discussion the meeting adjourned until next Monday evening, when the report of the committee on securing the Drill Hall will be received and the schedule for the season prepared.

BILLIARDS.

The Driford Tournament.
Fred. Devine won the third game in the Driford Hotel tournament last evening, scoring the required 250 while his opponent made 212. The fourth game will be played tonight.

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Local News.

Missionary Meeting.—A missionary meeting will be held this afternoon at 4 o'clock at Bishop's Close, where an address will be given by the Rev. H. J. Bowes. A service of intercession will be held in the cathedral at 8 p. m.

Painful Accident.—One of the workmen employed on the new bridge met with a painful accident yesterday afternoon. He was crossing the car track on the embankment and moved too slowly for an approaching car. The car hit him, badly cutting his head, and his collar bone was broken. Dr. J. C. Foot attended him, stitching the cut and setting the broken bone.

Catholic Bazaar.—The bazaar under the auspices of the Ladies of St. Andrew's cathedral began last evening and with a good attendance. Dr. Yates opened the fair with a happy speech, complimenting the management on their good work. Then followed a fan drill by a number of young ladies, a solo from the "Geisha" being given by Miss G. Switzer. All the young ladies were quite a pleasing experience. Next was a solo by Miss E. Green, and following this an instrumental duet by the Misses McQuade and Camstra. Tomorrow night and every night during this week new attractions will follow.

Charged With Robbery.—Last night Detective Macdonald arrested a man who gave the name of Amos Miller on a charge of robbery. It is alleged that Miller, three nights ago, took a purse containing \$85 in cash from the person of D. F. C. Donaldson, a Samich man. A purse which Mr. Donaldson claims to be his and \$85 were found in Miller's possession when he was brought to the lock-up. The Chinaman who was taken by the police from the Union Club owing to his belief that he was to be killed by the hindinders, and who is believed to be affected from the wound for China last night in the care of friends.

Macdonald Meeting.—The regular meeting of the Ladies of the Macdonald street last night. Owing to the membership contest several new members were elected. Mrs. Vincent, Mrs. Lawson, Christine and Mrs. Foot were appointed to represent the society at the annual meeting of the Women's Council. There was a lively discussion on the resolutions to be considered, which were all heartily endorsed. A sale of work will be held shortly, probably on December 10th, during the afternoon and evening. The election of officers will take place at the next meeting which will commence on Monday, 12th December, at 7:30. After arranging to hold all the meetings in the K. of P. hall, the ladies adjourned.

Northwest Trade.—Members of the Board of Trade and other business men of Victoria will be interested in a statement made by W. H. Cushing of Calgary, in an interview at Vancouver. He discusses the possibilities of trade between the Northwest Territories and British Columbia in a most interesting manner. He has studied the question and thinks that, providing a reduction in the freight rates can be brought about, merchants of Calgary and the neighboring districts will prefer to purchase all goods possible from the business people of the Pacific coast. While there is a considerable difference in the rates between the East and the West, this cannot be expected. But he thinks the Grand Trunk Pacific railway will alter the present complexion of matters. The fact that merchants of the Northwest find a large market in British Columbia will naturally incline them to practice reciprocity where it does not interfere too greatly with their own interests. Mr. Cushing, therefore, looks forward to the development of a large trade between the sections mentioned.

THE PRELIMINARY HEARING CLOSED

Men Accused of Assault on Car Conductor Committed for Trial.

The hearing of the charge against Chas. Jaspur, Wm. Wirth and Victor Street, of having assaulted and inflicted serious bodily harm upon Conductor McLeod, on one of the Esquimalt cars on the night of the 12th inst., was resumed in the Provincial Police court yesterday.

The cross-examination of Motorneur H. C. Wilson by Mr. A. L. Belyea, K.C., counsel for the accused, was continued. This witness was on the car that left Victoria for Esquimalt and passed McLeod's car on the return trip. At the Coach and Horses saloon witness observed broken glass on the track. One of the accused, Wirth, got on witness' car at that point and left at the Caiteen. Coming back, on the return trip, witness noticed two or three standing round the light pole. He thought one of these was Jaspur, but he would not swear to the man. He thought the men were trying to turn off the light. He saw one of them reaching up towards the switch. It was then about 12 o'clock. Wirth boarded the car again and went so far as Head street. The accused Jaspur got on the car, but after talking with Wirth, Jaspur got off again. At Head street Wirth got off and looked at Danney, the conductor of car No. 13, on the switch. Wirth said to Danney: "You are not the man I am looking for."

At Belyea's request, Conductor McLeod was recalled. The witness said he was acquainted with the various tickets issued by the B. C. Electric railway. The new Esquimalt tickets had been issued on the 10th inst., two days prior to the assault. The tickets given him by Jaspur were the pink, unlimited tickets, taking passengers all the way to Esquimalt. There was no restriction in regard to those tickets, and one passenger could pay for other passengers with those tickets if he pleased. Jaspur put three tickets into the box and dropped one on the floor, which witness believed Street picked up. Wirth put ten cents in the box. After getting the three tickets from Jaspur, witness did not demand two more tickets. He could not swear Jaspur had not put two more tickets in the box, but he felt practically positive that this had not occurred. Later, witness said that he could swear that Jaspur had put in two more tickets. He had not quite understood the question.

To the court—He had not had any dispute with Jaspur on the subject of tickets. The accused, on the advice of their counsel, declined to make any statements or to call any witnesses on their behalf in this court. Counsel also had no remarks to offer, and the accused were formally committed for trial at the next court of competent jurisdiction.

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Medicines taken into the stomach will never cure inflammation and discharge in the nose or throat caused by catarrh. For anyone who inhales the antiseptic vapor of "CATARRHOZONE" will be permanently released from catarrh and throat trouble. Catarrh's vapor goes directly to the disease really is—it destroys the cause of the trouble, and cures quickly and thoroughly. No other medicine gives such instant and permanent relief. Catarrh's vapor. Absolute cure guaranteed with the dollar outfit; small size 25c. at all dealers.

Do You Receive These Wireless Messages?

They Are About Your Health.
When your health goes the least bit wrong, a wireless message is sent to your brain.
It says something like this:
"You are not quite well—take a dose of BEECHAM'S PILLS at once and it will put you right."
Do you attend to these messages when you receive them? You should do so. BEECHAM'S PILLS often prevent a serious illness, and so prove themselves
"WORTH A GUINEA A BOX."
Sold by all Druggists in Canada and U. S. America. In boxes, 25 cents.

Our Cash Specials

For this week we are selling for CASH over the counter
Choice Sugar Cured Hams at.....18c
Turkeys at.....25c
B. C. Market Co., Ltd.

Just a Reminder

that Christmas will soon be here. We know from past seasons that everybody wants the best values for the festive occasion. We have made our purchases accordingly, and our vast and varied stocks of the many good things are the best the market affords. The following is only a partial list of what we have:

NEW MIXED PEEL (Lemon, Orange or Citron) 2 lbs. for	25c.
RE-CLEANED CURRANTS, 3 lbs. for	25c.
FANCY SULTANAS, 2 lbs. for	25c.
SEEDED RAISINS, 16-oz. pks., 3 lbs. for	25c.
NO. 1 VALENCIA RAISINS, per lb.	15c.
DIHESA CLUSTERS (Table Raisins)	25c., 35c., and 50c.
CALIFORNIA TABLE RAISINS, per lb.	15c., 25c. and 35c.
SUN-DRIED FIGS, per lb.	15c., 20c. and 25c.
CRESCA FIGS—1-lb. baskets 35c.; 2-lb. baskets	60c.
HALLOWEEN GOLDEN DATES, 2 lbs. for	25c.
STUFFED DATES, large boxes, each	50c.
ITALIAN PRUNES, in glass	50c.
NEW CALIFORNIA WALNUTS, per lb.	20c.
NEW PAPER-SHELLED ALMONDS, per lb.	25c.
THE PRUNES, 3-lb. boxes	80c.
CHINESE FIGS, 1-lb. cartons (crystallized), each	40c.
BATCHEL'S LEMON AND ORANGE QUARTERS, each	35c.
NEW CIDER, quart bottle, each	25c.
COOKING BRANDY, per bottle	\$1.00

OUR BON BONS—Xmas Tree Ornaments, Candles, Lanterns, etc., are more complete than ever before.

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PHONE 28. 39 AND 41 JOHNSON ST.

The West End Grocery Co., Ltd.

PHONE 88. 42 GOVERNMENT ST.

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Collector's List of Lands or Improvements on Real Property Within the Corporation of the City of Victoria

To be sold for Taxes, Interest and Costs on the TWENTY-EIGHTH day of December, 1904, at the City Council Chambers, City Hall, Victoria, B. C., at 12 o'clock noon, in pursuance of "The Victoria Real Property Tax Sale By-Law, 1904," unless in the meantime the arrears of Taxes, Interest and Costs due in respect of each Lot in the Schedule hereunder written be paid. If sold, the said Lands and Improvements will be chargeable with a proportion of the Legal Costs of and incidental to the obtaining of the Judge's Order confirming such sale.

Lot.	Block.	Section.	Lands and Improvements.	Assessed Owner.	Registered Owner.	Total Amount of Taxes, Interest and Costs due to the 19th of Sept., 1904, unpaid.	Coll. Comm. & Exp. of Sale.	Interest.	Total Amount of Taxes, Interest and Costs.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
121 and 415.....	13.....		L. & I.	H. D. Helmecken.....	Martha Harris, Jane Dal las, Catherine A. McTav ish, James D. Helmecken, Harry Dallas Helmecken, Edith N. Higgins, Alice De Wolderhold, Annie A. Bullen.....	\$3338.40	\$226.75	\$925.60	\$4588.75
48.....	11.....		L. & I.	G. L. Milne.....	Roderick Finlayson.....	91.35	9.31	21.92	122.58
137 1/2 49.....	34.....		L. & I.	Mrs. D. Penny.....	Roderick Finlayson.....	44.62	6.41	10.70	61.73
367 1/2 8.....	34.....		L. & I.	F. S. Montero et al.....	Mary and Daniel Penny.....	51.60	6.82	11.80	70.22
1097.....	17.....		L. & I.	F. S. Montero et al.....	Joseph Montero.....	81.25	4.37	2.20	88.82
1211.....	28.....		L. & I.	F. S. Montero et al.....	Joseph Montero.....	16.30	4.61	1.32	22.23
1355.....	36.....		L. & I.	Ada Lombard.....	Ada Lombard.....	30.80	5.46	5.54	41.80
1356.....	36.....		L. & I.	Patrick Ferrall.....	Patrick Ferrall.....	19.80	4.82	3.55	28.17
19 of 137-91.....	61.....		L. & I.	George Marsden.....	Patrick Ferrall.....	26.40	5.20	4.75	36.35
22.....	6.....		L. & I.	W. J. Hyland.....	Wm. J. Hyland.....	8.80	1.17	1.60	14.57
23.....	6.....		L. & I.	John Cox.....	John Cox.....	4.40	3.91		8.09
24.....	6.....		L. & I.	John Cox.....	John Cox.....	4.40	3.91		8.09
25.....	6.....		L. & I.	G. H. Maynard.....	George H. Maynard.....	2.64	3.81		6.93
26.....	6.....		L. & I.	Ernest Escalier.....	Theodore Davie.....	3.30	3.85		6.67
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FINNANCE AND COMMERCE.

New York, Nov. 28.—An irregular movement of stocks today reflected the mixed port-taking and new speculative campaigns going on. Stocks which were whipped up into rapid advances last week were sold to meet the new outside demand attracted by their movement. At other points there were new rapid advances and large dealings. Speculative interest and confidence were demonstrated to be awake and eager, and the day's business at the stock exchange was large and varied. The day's developments point to exemption from further withdrawal of gold for European account. The price of gold was reduced in London and sterling rose at Berlin and Paris, while weakening here. The stock market was strong, with United States Steel preferred the only important exception, and it was sold presently. The market closed irregular, under the influence of late rise in the call money rate at 4 per cent. Bonds were irregular; total sales par value, \$10,000,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

New York, Nov. 28.—Apo 814; Ann Loco 30; Ann Sugar 148; Smelting 317; Car 323; Canada 110; A. T. & S. P. 88 1/2; 1003; C. & O. 96 1/2; B. R. T. 68 1/2; C. P. R. 124 1/2; C. & O. 30; C. & N. W. 20 1/2; C. M. & St. P. 17 1/2; C. & N. W. 20 1/2; D. L. & W. 22 1/2; D. & H. 18 1/2; D. & R. 32 1/2; G. N. 230; Gen. Elec. 191; L. & N. 14 1/2; Man. 108 1/2; Mo. Pac. 100 1/2; M. & T. 129 1/2; N. Y. Wash. 25 1/2; Western Union 92 1/2; W. G. 24; MacKay 30 1/2; 1st 74 1/2; 2nd 74 1/2; 3rd 74 1/2; 4th 74 1/2; 5th 74 1/2; 6th 74 1/2; 7th 74 1/2; 8th 74 1/2; 9th 74 1/2; 10th 74 1/2; 11th 74 1/2; 12th 74 1/2; 13th 74 1/2; 14th 74 1/2; 15th 74 1/2; 16th 74 1/2; 17th 74 1/2; 18th 74 1/2; 19th 74 1/2; 20th 74 1/2; 21st 74 1/2; 22nd 74 1/2; 23rd 74 1/2; 24th 74 1/2; 25th 74 1/2; 26th 74 1/2; 27th 74 1/2; 28th 74 1/2; 29th 74 1/2; 30th 74 1/2; 31st 74 1/2; 32nd 74 1/2; 33rd 74 1/2; 34th 74 1/2; 35th 74 1/2; 36th 74 1/2; 37th 74 1/2; 38th 74 1/2; 39th 74 1/2; 40th 74 1/2; 41st 74 1/2; 42nd 74 1/2; 43rd 74 1/2; 44th 74 1/2; 45th 74 1/2; 46th 74 1/2; 47th 74 1/2; 48th 74 1/2; 49th 74 1/2; 50th 74 1/2; 51st 74 1/2; 52nd 74 1/2; 53rd 74 1/2; 54th 74 1/2; 55th 74 1/2; 56th 74 1/2; 57th 74 1/2; 58th 74 1/2; 59th 74 1/2; 60th 74 1/2; 61st 74 1/2; 62nd 74 1/2; 63rd 74 1/2; 64th 74 1/2; 65th 74 1/2; 66th 74 1/2; 67th 74 1/2; 68th 74 1/2; 69th 74 1/2; 70th 74 1/2; 71st 74 1/2; 72nd 74 1/2; 73rd 74 1/2; 74th 74 1/2; 75th 74 1/2; 76th 74 1/2; 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German Bark Osterbek's Swift Passage From the Golden Gate.

ARRIVED AT HADLOCK.
Port Hadlock, Nov. 28.—The four-masted American schooner Ludlow, Capt. Langkilde, arrived in port yesterday afternoon sixteen days from San Pedro. She will load a cargo of lumber here from the Washington Mill Company, for Southern California ports.

FOR DOG SALMON.
Steamer Coming From San Francisco to Take Accumulated Consignment.
At the end of the week the steamer Germanicus will arrive here from San Francisco to take away to Japan the accumulated shipments of salted dog salmon now at the outer wharf, where it has been brought from the Fraser river by the steamers Trader, Forster and Otter in 100-ton lots. The total consignment will amount to between 800 and 1,000 tons. The steamers Forster and Otter arrived last night from the Fraser with cargoes of the dog salmon to add to the pile in the outer wharf warehouse.

OSTERBEK'S SPLENDID TRIP.
German Vessel Comes From Frisco Under Sail in Seven Days.
Not quite the record, but very near it, was the comment of the waterfront salts yesterday when the fine German bark Osterbek, 1,510 tons, Capt. Petersen, arrived in Royal Roads seven days from San Francisco under her own sail. The vessel was enabled to carry a full spread of canvas nearly all the way, the wind being favorable to quick sailing. She encountered a little of the rough weather just south of the Cape, especially the brief gale that blew late Saturday night, but it had little effect on her splendid sailing qualities. She goes to Hastings today to load lumber. The Lorne will tow her to Burrard Inlet.

QUEEN CITY ARRIVES.
Steamer Queen City arrived from the West Coast yesterday. She brought a large quantity of freight and the following passengers: Mrs. Nelson, C. Anderson, N. Nelson, Cape Scott; Sheldon, Robertson, Calkins, Butler, Graham, Miss Neilson Varty, Quatsino; Capt. Brown, Nootka; McDougall; Cayoquet; Waterhouse, Mrs. and Miss McNeill; Mr. Tolson, Albert; Geo. Scott, A. Sullivan, Bamfield; J. J. Baird, Port Renfrew.

MAY DYNAMITE REEF.
Navigators Say Ripple Rock Should Be Removed.
Seattle, Nov. 28.—The proposition of removing Ripple Rock, in Seymour Narrows, by dynamiting away enough of the pinnacle to remove all obstruction to

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ABANDONED AT SEA.
Fate of an Old and Well-known Barkentine.
San Francisco, Nov. 28.—Somewhere in the Northern seas the old barkentine Quickstep, waterlogged, deserted and rudderless, is drifting a derelict. Her crew of ten men has been landed in this city by the steamship Lorne, after undergoing nine days of privation, hardship and losing all their personal belongings.

THE MINNESOTA'S CREW.
Will Ship an Entire Chinese Ship's Company at Victoria.
Coming in the next Empress from China with the 200 Chinese sailors, etc., who have been engaged by the owners of the big Hill liner Minnesota, due here about the middle of December. The Chinese crew of the mammoth steamer will be held here until the Minnesota calls for them. It is the crew bringing the Minnesota from the Eastern States is paid off on the inbound trip, it will be at Seattle, and the Chinese will go on her from here to Seattle. It is on the outward trip, then, the Chinese will join their ship here for the western voyage, and the white crew will be paid off in Victoria. The 200 Chinese will form, of course, only a portion of the crew of the great steamer, serving as firemen, deckhands, saloon and stateroom servants, etc.

HUGE ASIATIC TRADE.
San Francisco Wharves Busy With Loading Liners.
Before the end of this week, says Thursday's San Francisco Call, four big liners will be despatched from the Pacific Mail Company's wharves, making a total of seven important sailings of vessels flying the Harbinger flag within many days. The Manchuria and City of Panama, each loaded deep with merchandise and crowded with passengers, sailed last night for the Orient tomorrow. The Coptic will get away for the Far East on Saturday, the day set for the departure of the Persia, and the Harbinger on a coasting cruise. The Coptic will take about 4,000 tons of cargo, the Baracouta 1,500 tons, the Persia 3,500.

GUANO FOR JAPAN.
Heavy Shipments of Natural Fertilizer Going Forward.
Alaska manufactured guano is being employed to fertilize the long used and well-known guano of Japan. The Pacific Coast Steamship Company's Al Ki, which arrived yesterday morning, brought a consignment of 300 tons of guano from Kilisnoo, which will be re-shipped to Japan on the Boston Steamship Company's Lyma. The consignment was discharged yesterday on the Arlington wharf, says the Post-Intelligencer of Monday.

THE SHIPMENT OF GUANO FROM ALASKA TO JAPAN
The shipmen of Guano from Alaska to Japan bids fair to assume formidable proportions. During the past summer a whole ship's cargo of Kilisnoo guano was shipped direct from Kilisnoo to Japan.

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